



## National climate change adaptation research plan for human health

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### Abstract:

This National Climate Change Adaptation Research Plan (NARP) for Human Health sets out the research priorities for health research over the next 5–7 years. It is a guide to researchers, to potential funders, and to potential users of the research, including policy-makers, managers and service providers throughout the Australian health services. The main purpose of the NARP for Human Health is to articulate the research agenda for the next 5–7 years through which to acquire a fuller understanding of the health risks from climate change in Australia, and how to reduce those risks via planned adaptive interventions. Implementation of the Research Plan will contribute to an improved understanding of the range of current and anticipated risks to health from climate change, estimates of the likely resultant burdens of poor health, an understanding of differential vulnerabilities within the population, and agreement on the relevant criteria for assigning priorities in the choice of adaptive strategies. Implementation should not take place in isolation: coordination across related thematic areas should contribute to the development of an effective and equitable portfolio of adaptive strategies. -- Excerpted text.

### Source:

<http://www.nccarf.edu.au/publications/national-climate-change-adaptation-research-plan-human-health>

### Resource Description

#### Exposure :

weather or climate related pathway by which climate change affects health

Unspecified Exposure

#### Geographic Feature:

resource focuses on specific type of geography

None or Unspecified

#### Geographic Location:

resource focuses on specific location

Non-United States

**Non-United States:** Australasia

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## Health Impact:

specification of health effect or disease related to climate change exposure

General Health Impact

## Mitigation/Adaptation:

mitigation or adaptation strategy is a focus of resource

Adaptation

## Resource Type:

format or standard characteristic of resource

Policy/Opinion

## Timescale:

time period studied

Time Scale Unspecified